# The Store of Unlimited Suggestion



## The Great Satisfaction

in making a selection at this store is that there are so many good gift things from which to choose.

You will be able to solve the difficulty of getting gifts that are useful as well as artistic by visiting the different sections of this store.

It is not enough for a thing to be beautiful if it be not suitable.

It's fine to observe the spirit of Christmas by gift giving, but why not serve a double purpose by choosing something of practical value?

### Women's Knit Underwear

Women's Wool Vests; high neck, long sleeves; pants to match, ankle Women's Wool Union Suits; several different styles ......\$1.25 We are closing out a line of Silk and Wool Union Suits, extra sizes; regular price \$3.85. Special. at ..... \$2.50

Third Floor.

Shop Early

# THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO.

#### Handkerchiefs For Gifts

First of all they are easy to select from such a fine assortment as we now have ready. Handkerchiefs make one of the most acceptable and practical gifts one can choose. Price has been considered, too, and no matter how much or how little you wish to spend, we will be glad to help you get the most satisfaction for your money.

Women's Handkerchiefs. each embroidered in one corner, 3 to a box-

60c and \$1.00 a box. Hand Embroidered All Linen Handkerchiefs-15c, 25c, 35c, 50c,

75c and \$1.00.

Plain All Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs-5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35 cand 50c Hand Embroidered Initial

Handkerchiefs-15c. 25c. 35c and 50c.

#### The Best Gloves

We are ready to serve you with makes of gloves that will stand the test, not only in appearance and durability, but in price

Our department is equipped to meet all requirements. Gloves for the "Little Folks" and the "Grown Ups."

Gift boxes with every pair of gloves.

We issue glove certificates, which will greatly simplify your glove buying,

#### Broadcloth a Splendid Showing

There is nothing that takes the place of a GOOD BROAD-CLOTH for the tailored suit. for handsome costumes, for street wear, and for evening wraps. Water spot proof, sponged and shrunk, colors and black.

# Traveling Bags

TRAVELING CASES - Sereral articles of great conven-ience when traveling, and which make very much appreclated gifts.

TRAVELING CASES—Of seal leather, moire lined, fitted with comb, brush, mirror, soap box, tooth brush holder and scissors, COLLAR BAGS AND HAND-RERCHIEF CASES — Tat, brown, gray and black, lined

TOILET CASES—Of silk and cretonne, very pretty designs; cases lined with rubber; an absolute necessity for every journey, no matter how short. Notion Section—Main Floor.

#### "Cupid" Rompers THE BEST MADE

Infants' Rompers, white and colors, buttoned across the bottom; sizes 6 mo., 1 and 2 years ..... 50¢ Children's Rompers, light or dark blue, brown, tan and pink and white, or blue and white checked gingham, sizes 2 to 6 years..........50c

Third Floor.

#### Our Christmas Sale "Silk Hose This extraordinary sale of

silk hosiery needs no introduction to the people of Omaha, as the values are so well known. This sale starts at 9 o'clock

Saturday morning and consists of Six Hundred Pairs of Black Silk Hose, in both regular and out Values up to \$3 a Pair

Saturday Special Price

#### The Store For Shirtwaists

An attractive, distinctive section. Here you may procure dainty blouses that are different different because of the new styles, different because of the excellent quality of the fabrics and workmanship, different because of the moderate prices for exclusive waists. Blouses, 95¢ to \$29.50

## **Toilet Goods** Saturday Specials

25c White Ivory Combs. 19c White Ivory Nail Files. 15c Ivory Cuticle Knives .... 15¢ Ivory Nail Stick ..... 56 Sachet Powder (Violet, Rose and Carnation), 5¢ a bottle.

## The Fur Shop

Second Floor.

When shopping Saturday a few moments spent in the Fur Shop will be pleasant and profitable. Prices for desirable furs this season are much lower than in former years. At the present time they are within the reach of all.

#### Special Russian Pony Coats-

\$27.50, \$32.50 Muffs ......\$4.75 up. Scarfs ..... \$2.75 up.

# SOROSIS

### Very Special Values at \$4

metal calf, patent kid, black, brown and gray snede; patent kid vamps with white tops. These shoes a r e great values at this price. Special



#### \$45.00, \$49.50, \$55.00, \$65.00 An exclusive showing of the finest dress coats obtainable. The values offered are very reasonable and are appreciated by women, who desire distinction and refinement in dress. \$45.00, \$49.50, \$55.00, \$65.00 No Charge For Alterations. The Coat Prices Start at \$13.50.

Women's Fur Trimmed Coats Several New Belted and Flare Styles.

Velvet and Velour Coats

\$24.50, \$29.50, \$35.00

These are distinctive coats-coats that give the wearer the air of poise and distinction in dress.

> The new Russian Cossack flare models, an adaptation from the styles worn in the "Yellow Ticket." have given an entirely new note in this season's fashions. We are pleased to show them.

\$24.50, \$29.50, \$35.00

#### Former Residents of Lincoln "Misfits" In Canada's Volunteers

MONTREAL, Quebec, Dec. 4.—(Special | Etastein was born in France and reared Telegram.)-Two former residents of Lincoin, Neb., were the first of the misfits father was made a prisoner of war while in the Canadian overseas force to arrive back in Montreal today. They were Louis Etzetein, 20, of Maple Creek, Sask., and Frank was born in Germany and when W. G. Frank, 21, of Winnipeg. Both are of German birth, claiming Alsace-Lorraine as their native country, but they say they are of French descent, though

their accents are decidedly German. They declare that Canada is the land they have adopted and when they left with the contingent they wanted to fight for the empire. Both state that they were not treated right and that last night they were put on the train at St. John pected of being spies for Montreal without a cent and no means of getting food. Tonight they leave the of life at Salisbury plains, but obcity for Winnipeg and do not know how jected strongly to being compelled to they are going to live on the train or walk through the streets of Glasgow when they get to Winnipeg.

Frank joined the Ninetieth Rifles known as "The Little Black Devils" and | who they were the guards would reply: Etzstein the Twenty-seventh Light Horse.

in Alsace-Lorraine and declares that his fighting the Germans. He says that the officers of the Light Horse knew this. a child came to a naturalised American. Two years ago he came to Canada and when he joined the Ninetieth Rifles the officers were aware that he was born in Germany and he declares he never tried to conceal the fact.

Thirty-eight other "misfits" came over on a liner and when the slip arrived at St. Johns, nine men were taken under an armed guard and interned, sus-

Both men speak in the highest praise under an armed guard with fixed bayonets, declaring that when people asked "They are German spies."

### KAISER WILL FEED THE HUNGRY POLES

German Administration Will Feed Hungry in That Part of Country it Controls.

INFORMATION FROM BERLIN

Moorish Rebels Said to Have Invaded Blanca-German Troops Discover More Evidence of British-Belgium Deal.

BERLIN, Dec. 4 .- (By Wireless.)-The German military authorities have taken measures to prevent famine among the inhabitants of the parts of Russian Poland occupied by the German army, according to news given out by the press bureau today. Another announcement from the same source is that reports received from Constantinople say England intends sending Portuguese troops into Egypt and the Mohammedans goldlers in Tunis are being embarked for service in Including the information given out by

the German official press bureau today are the following items: "Madrid reports that Moorish rebels have invaded Blanca and attacked the

local garrison and the authorities, "Rotterdam reports that on the Boer farms in South Africa there are to be found only women and natives; the men are at the front.

Germans Cruelly Treated. "Rudolph Moeller, a German, a former esident of Morocco, has sworn to an affidavit which confirms the report that German civilians arrested in Morocco at the outbreak of the war have been transported to Oran. Algeria, where French officers incited soldiers to commit brutalities upon them. The Germans were beaten with sticks, spit upon and attacked with sabers. Two men and one woman died of ill treatment.

German troops have discovered secret instructions prepared by a British general which contained detailed information concerning the Belgian border, the disposition of rolling stock on the ratiroads and the billeting of men. These instruc- | "From the nature of things it is impe gium decided long ago on English military activity in Belgium, and this means a violation of neutrality.

Fighting in French Morocco. "Constantinople reports that there has been fighting between the Senussi tribesmen and the French in southern Morocco The leader of the Senusai was killed and the French were defeated.

"The Persian government has handed to the British minister at Teperan a note protesting against the violation of Persian neutrality by the entrance of British warships into the Karun river. "The Italian government has seized a

Portuguese torpedo boat destroyer built at Genoa. "Athens reports that England has landed

34,000 Canadian volunteers in Egypt. The fifth Austrian army has occupied

Belgrade. Bulgaria contradicts the Greek report of a encentration of Bulgarian troops.

by the military. The most stringent orders have been given that we shall have

England Flirts with Holland. "A special dispatch from Gothenburg. such a course would be incompatible with us for bread within thirty days. its neutrality. As a reply to Holland the whereupon Holland fortified Flushing.

clined the Anglo-French demand to send the elaboration of this work. troops to fight the Turks in Egypt." "The Russian military newspaper Russky Invalid, states that the number Belguim. An industrial country, which of Russian officers killed, wounded or was dependent on the overseas before taken prisoners now totals 33,000,"

#### Paris Reports Quiet Day Along Front

PARIS, Dec. 4.-The following official emmunication was issued tonight: "At no place along the entire front has there been any notable incident.

"On our right wing we have made progress in the direction of near to Altkirsch. "During the day of December 2 we made

#### **VON BUELOW APPOINTED** AMBASSADOR TO ITALY

LONDON, Dec. 4.-The corresponden at Amsterdam of Reuter's Telegram company, says a Berlin dispatch received there states that inasmuch as M. von Flotow, the German embassador to Italy, has been obliged to take a long leave of absence on account of his health. Emperor William has charged Prince von cellor, with the affairs of the embassy.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Druggists refund money if Paro Oint-nent fails to cure Itohing, Blind, Bleed-Bee ing or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 60 cents.

### GERMANS DECLARE BLOCKADE OF SEA STARVES BELGIANS

Teutons Assert People Normally Dependent on Importation of

Food for Sustenance. ALLIES' EMBARGO TO BLAME

Confederates Say Free Port for Supplies Would Be Just Depot

of Enemy.

TERRIBLE CONDITIONS IN LAND

Chairman of American Relief Committee Describes State of Affairs. NO OBSTRUCTION BY INVADERS

Hoover States that Not Loaf of Bread or Spoonful of Salt Taken by Military in Little Kingdom.

LONDON, Dec. 4.-Herbert Clark Hoover, chairman of the American commission for relief in Belgium, returned to London today after a week's trip of inspection in Belgium. Mr. Hoover reported that the distribution of foodstuffs sent in care of the American commission is well under way, but stated that the condition of famine which threatened the population is still desperate and that on account of the attitude of the belligerents the Belgians must still appeal to the people of the United States for relief. "It is difficult to state the position of

the civil population of Belgium without appearing hysterical," Mr. Hoover said in his statement. "I do not know that history presents any parallel of a population of 7,000,000 surrounded by a ring of steel and utterly unable by any conceivable effort of their own to save them-

Statement of Germans.

tions could have been prepared only with sible for the commission even to possthe active assistance of the Belgian gov- an opinion on the rights and wrongs ernment, which supplied the detailed in- which have created this situation. The formation contained in them. This is Germans state flatly that the people of further evidence that England and Bel- Belgium are nominally dependent on the importation of foodstuffs for five-sixths of their subsistence; that the Germans have not the slightest objection to the Belgians or anyone else importing foodstuffs into Belgium; that it is not the Germans who have blocked the sea and there is no obligation on them to feed the population who could, through the normal course of trade, obtain sustenance. The allies, on the other hand, insist that a free port for the importation of foodstuffs into Belgium would practically amount to an intrepot for food supplies for the Germans. It is enough for us that there are 7,000,000 people ground between gigantic millstones.

Meet with No Obstruction. "We are meeting with no obstruction from the military authorities of Belguim in the prosecution of our work. Not one loat of bread or one spoonful of salt that we have introduced has been taken "The Austrian general staff reports no interference and our members meet that fighting near Novo Radomsk and with respect and assistance in all quar-

"There are considerable quantities of vegetables available in certain districts. Sweden, says a South Danish commercial In some localities there is still a supply newspaper reports that in 1909 Great Brit- of cereals for two or three weeks, but ain threw out a feeler to Holland about in certain other localities there has been the possibility of concluding a military no bread available for more than a fortconvention. Holland declined because night Every soul will be depend upon "So far our efforts have necessarily

Angle-Belgian agreement was concluded, been devoted to provisioning the larger centers. It required organization and The gold reserve of the Imperial bank patience to be able to penetrate the outis 1,991,000,000 marks (\$408,000,000), an in-lying towns and villages. It will be difcrease over last week of \$2,500,000 (\$8,125,- ficult for the people of the United States to comprehend the difficulties, which we "Rome reports that Abyssinia has de- meet with in purely executive matters in

> Clock Stopped in Belglum. "The clock has absolutely stopped in is now walled up, with 70 per cent of the people idle. There are no telegraphs. telephones, railways or postoffices, except for military purposes. The Belgians, of a military necessity, are not allowed to pass from their own towns, and consequently there is no communication

sonal visits of our members." Tickling of the Throat quickly relieved by Dr. King's New Dis-covery, the great cough and cold remedy. A safe and sure medicine. 50e and \$1.

throughout the country, except by per-

Read the "For Sale" ads if you want

#### Severe Rheumatic Pains Disappear

Rheumatism depends on an acid in the blood, which affects the muscles and joints, producing inflammation, stiffness and pain. This acid gets into the blood through some defect in the digestive pro-

Hood's Sarsaparilla, the old-time blood tonic, is very successful in the treatment of rheumatism. It acts directly, with purifying effect, on the blood, and improves the digestion. Don't suffer. Get Hood's today.-Advertisement.

## Profit Saturday by Making **EARLY Xmas Selections**

#### AT BEATON'S THE STORE OF BETTER VALUES

\$1.00 Sal Hepatica ......... 60c SACHET SPECIALS
All our 50c Sachet Powders, all odors and makes, Saturday, per ounce
Pivers' Sachet Powder, all odors in original 1 oz. bottles ... 60c

Houbigant's and Cotys latest od-ors in Suchet Powders at special prices. 50c Kondon's Catarrh Jelly .. 29

\$1.00 Scott's Emulsion ....640 

## FREE SATURDAY

25c bottle of Woodbury's Hair Tonic. This is not a sample bottle but the regular 25c size with war tax stamp,

50c Woodbury's Scalp Crosm 42c | Special lot of 50c and 75c Face Pow-ders, imported and domestic. Your favorits may be in the lot. Spe-cially priced Saturday at......18c

DON'T MISS THESE REAL RUBBER BARGAIRS 

\$2.00 Non-Leakable Self-Fill-ing Fountain Pen, absolutely guaranteed, special at ... 980

Regular 50c Perfumes, 60 od-ors to select from, Saturday special, per oz. ...... 29c

FREE Saturday on all sales of Parisian Ivory Goods—Combs Brushes, Mirrors, etc., we will engrave your initial or the recipient's initial free of charge.

"FOLLOW THE BEATON PATH"

BEATON DRUG CO. FIFTEENTH AND FARNAM

## OPPOSING FORCES GIVE OUT REPORTS

Germans Declare French Are Repulsed in Flanders and Russ in Poland Meet with Defeat.

FIGHTING IS INTERMITTENT French Say Buttles Are Spaumodic

with Teutons Making Fruitiess Artillery Efforts Between Ypres and Roulers.

are repeatedly attacking the German line. says the official statement given out to-day at the war office, which adds that these assaults have been repulsed, The statement follows: "In the western theater of war, French

BERLIN, Dec. 4-(By Wireless to

London)-The French troops in Flanders

attacks against our troops in Flanders were repeatedly repulsed, as they are also in the region northwest of Altkirch, where the French suffered considerable

memy's attacks east of the plain of the Mazurian lakes were repulsed with heavy losses to the Russians. normal course. "His majesty, the emperor, arrived in Berlin last night for a short stay. "(Signed) CHIEF OF THE ARMY AD-MINISTRATION."

PARIS, Doc. 4.—The French official Paris, reads as follows: "In Belgium there has been an intermittent, but fairly spirited, cannonade between the railroad from Tores to Rousers and the highway between Booslacre and Pass Chendaels, which the infantry of the enemy endeavored to gain

work of organising the positions taken From the seemy.
"From the seems to the Argonne re-

ground, but quite without success.
"At Vermelies we are continuing the

#### Soldiers Enjoy King's Visit So Much He May Stay Indefinitely LONDON, Dec. 4.-Such enthusiasm has | famous mayor of Hazebrouck.

been aroused among the allied troops by the visit of King George to the battlefront that his stay in France may be in the battle line 200 miles distant, by extended considerably.

On Wednesday, according to a dispatch and acted as guide for the distinguished to the Daily Mail, there was a meeting group. of the kings of Great Britain and Belgium, President Potncaire of France, General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the a motor car. At several points he vis-French forces; Field Marshal Earl Kitch- ited the trenches and bomb-proofs, and ener, British secretary of state for war; talked with the officers and men. A General French, commander-in-chief of desultory German cannonade meantime

the British forces, and Abbe Lemaire, the was progressing. fantry, but all were repulsed by our been the main object of Germany. In troops, particularly at La Corne, to nothwest of the forest of Grurie. "There has been some artillery firing

#### in the Wosvre district and in Lorraine. "There is nothing to report in Alsace. **ALLIES LANDING** TROOPS AT PORT OF MONTENEGRO

(Continued from Page One.) eral Joffre, commander-in-chief of the

Should the new German assault meet the same fate as have previous attempts to reach the coast of the channel, observers in London expect that it will be followed by a general advance on the

"From the Somme to the Argonne region there is quiet along the entire front.
"In the Argonne there have been several attacks on the part of German in- tions against Cracow, to stop which has Want Ads.

the possession of heights within three or four miles of the outer forts of the former capital of Poland, the Russians appear to have the Cracow fortress at their mercy. The very fact that the Musoovites have been able to get to such close quarters seems to indicate that the guns of Cracow are not so formidable as has commonly been reported. If this city falls it is anticipated that

The meeting was in the region where

the three allied armies were nearest to-

special train. Abbe Le Maire met him

King George inspected the British troops

yesterday. He traveled along the lines in

will have an immediate effect on the campaign in Poland, it being argued here that the Germans would be then foced to double back to stem the invasion of Silesia, which would be the immediate get prisoners in the region of the north All druggists.—Advertisement. equel to the Russian capture of Cracow. alone. The first story of the loss of a British superdreadnaught, copied from American newspapers, is published here today with the omission of the name of the ship and the locality where the mishap occurred.

The reference in the foregoing dispatch There are signs of approaching activity to the loss of a British superdreadnaught in Alsace, where the French recently is to the Audacious, which went down off have been improving their positions. At the northern count of freland October 25, the same time the Germans are said to after having come in contact with what have been heavily reinforced in this is believed to have been a German mine. section. General Joffre's recent declara- The Sritish censors permitted no publication to the Alastians that "we are back tion of this story in England, and they here to stay," may soon be put to the have been severely criticised for the sup-

No matter what you want it will save